Statistics: Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs — Statistics at Defra

We publish national and official statistics relating to the environment, rural communities, food, farming and biosecurity.

Guidance: Basic Payment Scheme

Payments for farmers who carry out eligible agricultural activities, what you need to know and do before you can apply for an annual payment.

News story: Bird flu (avian influenza): latest situation in England

Find out about the latest bird flu situation in England and guidance for bird keepers and the public.

Chesterfield event marks completion of natural flood management project 'slowing the flow to the Calow'

A £275,000 project to reduce flood risk in Chesterfield using innovative natural flood defences has completed

Research: Bird flu (avian influenza): findings in non-avian wildlife

Confirmed findings of influenza of avian origin in non-avian wild mammals.